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QUORUM BROKEN.

And the Senatorial Election Still Hangs Fire.

EVANS' FRIENDS PUSHING HIM.

Fire at Lebanon Causes a Loss of \$10,000.

SOME IMPORTANT APPOINTMENTS MADE.

Frankfort, April 23.—Friends of Walter Evans are bending every energy to the effort to force him on the caucus as a compromise candidate tonight. Debow and Holt still stand firm, however, and it is not believed the effort in Evans' favor will be successful at this stage of the game.

The Republicans this morning broke the quorum and there was no

President Appointments.

Washington, April 23.—Judge Day, of Canton, was today appointed assistant secretary of state and Belamy Storer minister to Belgium.

FIRE AT LEBANON.

Brown's Drug Store and Latimer's Grocery Destroyed.

Lebanon, Ky., April 23.—Brown's drug store and Latimer's grocery were both completely destroyed by fire last night. The loss will foot up fully ten thousand dollars, with insurance of about half that amount. The origin of the fire is not known.

WANTS TO GO TO GREECE.

Gen. Miles Asks Permission to Watch the War.

Washington, April 22.—Gen. Miles has applied for permission to go to Greece to observe the war between that country and Turkey from a military standpoint of view. Secretary Alger has brought the matter to the attention of the President and the latter has taken the application under consideration. The impression is that, owing to the rapid progress of the war and the likelihood that it will be brought to an end before Gen. Miles could reach the scene the project will be abandoned.

VERY INDIGNANT.

Are Many Citizens of Metropolis.

Say a Paducah Paper Grossly Misrepresented Them.

Some of the people of Metropolis are very indignant at the report in a contemporary Wednesday about the election being attended by "fifteen or more fights." Neither were there any eighteen special policemen mustered in for the occasion, as the same paper stated.

Some of the merchants are so angry that they have refused to purchase goods from Paducah druggists, saying that they don't want goods from any city the newspapers of which slander them.

The election scenes in Metropolis could not have possibly been much worse than those that preceded the recent Democratic primary here.

TALK OF CONTESTING.

Brooklyn's Local Option Election.

Not Yet Settled What Will be Done.—Wets Won by Over 100.

There is talk of contesting the local option election at Brooklyn day before yesterday. The "dry's" were defeated, but it is said they claim it was illegal. Some of the people voted one way and when they desired to vote another, and there was some complication in regard to the ballots.

HANDS MANGLED.

A Brakeman and a Sawyer Meet With Accidents.

William Reese, of Mechanicsburg, who is employed at the Kilgore heading factory, had the first three fingers on his right hand cut off in a saw this forenoon. Drs. Troutman and Williamson dressed the injury.

George Boyd, an extra brakeman on the Illinois Central, had three of his fingers mashed off while coupling cars at Nortonville this morning. He was brought in at noon and taken to the railroad hospital.

MARKETS.

(Reported Daily by Lucy Grain Company.)

Chicago, Ill., April 23.—May wheat opened at 74 1/4—74 1/4 highest 75 1/4, closed at 74 1/4—75 b.

May corn opened at 24 1/2 and closed at 24 1/2.

May oats opened at 17 1/2 and closed at 17 1/2 b.

May pork opened at \$8.47 and closed at \$8.52.

May lard opened at \$4.12 and closed at \$4.15.

May ribs opened at \$4.70 and closed at \$4.70—72.

Clearances 208,000 bushels.

Stocks are strong on the report that the Turks have captured Larissa and completely overpowered the Greeks.

Puts on July wheat 72 1/2. Closed at 73 1/2.

Call on July wheat 76 1/2. Closed at 77.

Chicago, April 23.—A lot of 65,000 bushel wheat is working here and the spot demand seems general.

Private Liverpool cable says wheat opened lower, now unchanged.

Sand storms were suffered in Southwest Kansas, Wednesday and Thursday damaging the young wheat in some localities.

The Turks have descended from Milouma pass at Kurtrivali. The result is not known here yet. Four hundred members of the foreign legion, including twenty-six Englishmen, under Capt. Birch, arrived here on Tuesday. They were received with a great demonstration, which was repeated on their departure for the front in the evening. Intense enthusiasm was caused among the Greeks when the Englishmen sang the Greek national war songs.

The Greek Evzones and a mountain battery, having ascended the mountains east of the St. George monastery, were taken by the Turks on the flank. After a severe fight lasting many hours the Turks, who on Monday had driven the Greeks from Mati and Ligaria, brought 280 Circassian cavalry from Ellasson.

This was on Tuesday. The Circassians began to extend into the plain, but, being raked by Col. Mastropas' battery and by the Evzones, they were compelled to fall back on Ligaria with great loss.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The SUN is authorized to announce B. E. JOHNSON
As a candidate for Constable for the First District of McCracken County, subject to the action of the Republican party.

"So far, Republican success is a disappointment," says Mr. Bryan. So far, Mr. Bryan is a diminutive species of demagogue, say the people.

The enthusiasm and patriotism of the Greeks led them into the fatal error of neglecting to provide for the protection of a possible retreat by a series of fortifications in their rear. Had they properly provided for the protection of their retreat the disasters would have been minimized. Retreat was not in their patriotic vocabulary.

The Turkish campaign, so far as it has progressed, bears unmistakable evidences of the German directorship behind it. It has been well planned and well executed so far as it has been possible to execute it. The educated and accomplished German officer who will lend his aid to the barbarous Turk against a people like the Greeks to crush and enslave them deserves the strongest condemnation that the world can give.

A TREATY has just been ratified by the Mexican Senate settling the boundary between the republic and Belize or British Honduras. Concessions had to be made to John Bull as usual in such cases. There was considerable opposition to the confirmation of the treaty, but the Secretary of Foreign Affairs addressed the Senate urging its confirmation as a matter of expediency, to enable the government to get under control a section of country which, by reason of the unsettled condition of the boundary question, has been overrun by savages.

We are told Mexico and Canada arecocked and primed with retaliatory measures to be passed immediately on the promulgation of the Dingey tariff law. Stories of multitudinous retaliatory laws probably have their origin in the Democratic camp. We heard a myriad of such stories while the McKinley bill was on its passage, but when it became a law our foreign commerce expanded to the greatest dimensions in its history. The United States will attend to its own business in its own way and permit other nations to enjoy the same privilege.

OUT of 1339 bills introduced into the Pennsylvania legislature this season, only six have become laws. This is a smaller ratio than usually obtains between the number of bills introduced and the laws resulting therefrom, but there is not much in the introduction of a bill. A very ordinary man can get his name into the papers for bolstering up his standing before his constituents by the introduction of a bill, but the man who has the ability to push it to a successful passage is comparatively rare. In New York the proportion of bills to laws is about fifteen to one.

The importation of beet sugar from Germany since April amount to some thing like 50,000 tns., 100,000,000 pounds, the value of which amounts to between \$5,000,000 and \$6,000,000. This is an unusual rate of importation and is due to an effort to anticipate the new tariff. No doubt between now and the passage of the law this importation will be many times multiplied. Such anticipatory importations all along the line will have the effect of greatly reducing the revenues derived from the Dingey law during the first few months of its existence and lessening its immediate effect in reviving the drooping industries. Hence the wisdom of the retro-active clause of the measure.

AN "infamous lie" Mr. Bailey says is the charge made by the anti-Bailey silver Democrats in the House that Mr. Bailey wears "Reed's collar." It is often the case where there is the greatest need for harmony of purpose and unity of action there is the least of both. So it is in Congress today. If the silver Democrats could accomplish anything whatever it would be by harmony; but if there is anything lacking on that side of the House it is harmony. Really, it makes little difference just at this time, since the majority is so hopelessly small as to have no hope of accomplishing anything, but the future may bring about a condition in which it would be of value. The probabilities of its putting in an appearance when wanted are not strengthened by the present condition of things.

The glimpse which the world has had of the character of the Greek nation, and of King George and his family in particular, has been immensely to their advantage from every point of view. King George is seen to be a monarch who is in love with his people and who is sufficiently democratic to wish the island of Crete to be governed according to the will of the people and to ascertain that will by a vote of the masses. The domestic life of the Royal family is found to be of that simple, homely, loving character which the world most admires. The intense patriotism of the Greeks, not only in Greece but throughout the world, coupled with the valor and pluck they have exhibited in the battles on the frontier, have given them an elevated position in the eyes of the world which has hitherto known little of them. Were all monarchs like King George their yokes would set lightly on the necks of their subjects.

DR. HUNTER's letter of withdrawal was a manly and patriotic document that is worthy a United States Senator. The Doctor reaffirms his continued devotion to the undying principles of the Republican party and his determination to continue working for their triumph in state and national affairs. His disappointment that the reward which he feels his long service to the party has earned him was withheld through the opposition of a few malcontents is apparent, but he does not say anything in the way of harsh criticism of their action. It is to be hoped there is no foundation for the reports that have been circulated that the Doctor wishes to control the nomination of his successor, and his action in leaving for Washington would seem to indicate that there is not. Such a course would arouse against the new nominee all the opposition that Mr. Hunter has had to encounter and which has worked his defeat. Let Dr. Hunter as a factor in the Senatorial race drop entirely out of sight.

The Republican members of the legislature have been guilty of enough foolishness for one session. Let them now get down to business with a spirit of mutual concession and unite on some man of ability who can command the requisite number of votes to elect. Surely some one, of the eight or ten men of the requisite statesmanlike qualities may be found on which they can unite. Let not the personal ambitions of any man be for a moment considered. The only thing that should be kept in view is the interest of the party and every man, great or small, must be ready to make some sacrifice if necessary for this. It will probably be necessary to take some other man than Mr. Boyle, since he will be held responsible for the defeat of Hunter and probably some of the most ardent supporters of the latter would feel like paying him back in his own coin. The time in which the election can be made is growing short and if this session adjourns without electing a senator the chances of securing a Republican senator for the next six years are seriously imperiled. Let every Republican member do his duty with a sense of his obligation to the party, state and national.

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ed. Greece understands that she must either be victorious or disappear. The war may be prolonged and bloody, but it is now too late to stop. A great crime has been committed against right and humanity in the Cretan question, and the chastisement has now commenced. If these claims are true and well founded the nation which is responsible for the action of Turkey has committed the greatest crime of the century.

A COMMUNICATION

Agent the School Board and the Proposed Tax Levy.

The position taken by the school board at this time, in demanding, for the first time in the history of our city, a tax levy as high as fifty cents on the \$100 for school purposes seems to smack a little of opposition to the sewerage proposition or of a determination to either compel the city council to abandon the construction of sewer, or to make a tax levy so high as to be specially obnoxious and burdensome to the people.

It has been well known for months that sewerage would be put in this year, which will require a levy of 30 cents in addition to the levy for ordinary current expenses. It was not expected that the school board would at this particular time demand the maximum amount which the law permits them to demand, but it seems they are determined to do it, and on the plea that they need a fine school building erected on west Broadway. The school board is commanded for its jealous care of the public schools, but it is not quite clear why they did not see the necessity of the proposed building last year, year before last or anything for the last five years prior to this year instead of erecting the smaller buildings during that time, which they now conclude are insufficient to accommodate the wants for another year. This seems a little remarkable when it is remembered that last year's census showed no increase in the number of school children over previous years, and there has been no perceptible increase of population since.

The council, through its finance committee, has done its whole duty in presenting to the school board all the facts, and requesting that the extra levy of fifteen cents asked for by the board be withdrawn for one year. If this is not done the tax payer who may feel the burden too heavily will know from whence the heavy came. The schools of the city have prospered well and large school buildings erected and elegantly equipped under former managements at the following rate of taxation for school purposes for the last ten years:

For— 1887 20 cents. 1888 20 cents.
1889 25 cents. 1889 25 cents.
1890 25 cents. 1890 25 cents.
1891 25 cents. 1891 25 cents.
1892 25 cents. 1892 25 cents.
1893 25 cents. 1893 25 cents.

I fear this question has not been well considered by the school board and the council is command of its effort to protect the people from the burdensome taxation which will follow if the fifty-cent levy is demanded by the school board.

Mr. R. C. ROSE, Letter from a Massachusetts Volunteer. Boston, Mass., April 23—William Law, formerly of Worcester, Mass., but now with the Cuban insurgent army, has written a letter to a friend in Worcester, in which, under date of Jucaro, Puerto Principe, April 5, he says:

"I am in the heart of the fighting. The Cubans have the best of it all through, but, of course, suffer great hardships. The entire east end of the island is absolutely controlled by them, and most of the provinces of Santa Clara and Pinar del Rio, besides Havana itself is uncertain, and may fall any day.

"A few days ago I saw a battle between 800 Cubans and two forts defended by 1000 Spanish troops. It took the Cubans less than thirty minutes to take them and capture all the arms and cannon. Of course, war is terrible. I see brought in men, women and children, who have been murdered by Spanish soldiers, whose fiendish deeds are two terrible to describe. I saw last week the bodies of three beautiful little Cuban girls, aged 8, 6 and 4 years respectively; of their mother, a woman about 30, and of two old women, possibly 60 years of age, all in one heap with their throats cut.

"There war seems to be on women and children. When they meet a body of Cuban troops they scarcely wait to fight, but throw down their arms and run."

Important Cuban Victory.

Havana, April 22, via Key West. News has just been received from Puerto Principe of the complete defeat of the Spanish columns, numbering 1500, under Cols. Rizo and Cruz Gonzalez, by 2000 insurgents.

The fighting began April 2d near Puerto Principe. A detachment sent against the attacking insurgents was ambushed and forced to retreat to the main column, which then retired to the estre Silencio, where, in a good position, it withstood the insurgents fire all day. At night the insurgents retired, and on April 3d the Spanish followed. After two hours' stubborn fighting the insurgents retired to the estate La Esperanza. Rizo followed, but met with dire defeat.

The further he advanced into the estate the more numerous he found the Cubans, who were firing on his column from all sides. He attempted to dislodge one of their detachments from a hill by a bayonet charge, but his infantry was repulsed with heavy loss. To escape utter destruction the Spaniards formed a square, seeing that the cavalry force of the insurgents had been considerably re-inforced. In this position the Cubans surrounded the Spaniards, who answered the Cuban fire on all sides. Night came on and neither army could see the other, but the fight did not stop. On the con-

trary, the insurgents increased their volleys. The distance between the front line of each force was only fifty paces. All night they kept exchanging verbal abuse, while at the same time bullets were flying.

Rizo broke through the Cuban lines on April 3, and escaped to the estate L's Cocos. The Cubans followed with a constant fire to Guyagabo, with a total loss of 300. Here the Spanish made a stand and, although exhausted, fought bravely until the evening of April 7. Then, with ammunition exhausted and harassed on all sides, they fled in disorder to the estate Los Batones, where they met re-enforcements of 2,000. The Cuban attack was continued and the Spanish retired to Puerto Principe, fighting all the way. They entered Puerto Principe April 12, totally defeated and having lost 800 men on the way.

Capt. Farley then mentioned the Mechanicsburg school house recently purchased by the council, and as the people desire the board to provide a teacher for next session, it was suggested that the board buy it. On motion of Mr. C. C. Rose a committee composed of Messrs. Rose, Smith and Leake was appointed to investigate it, and the council made a proposition there to sell the property to the board for \$332.

Capt. Smith mentioned the fact that the school board has not this year received its 15 per cent. of fines and forfeitures, and Mr. Terrell, that the board had not received its quota of the back taxes. For these reasons they thought the city ought to donate the property to the board for \$332.

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Critic of Pens on Claims.
Ten of four years in the war of
1861-65.
Settles claims before the Bureau
of Pensions.

A London Sunday school recently
held a written examination on the
book of Acts. A pupil whose imag-
ination and invention were able to
supply the defects of his memory

WRITTEN AT RANDOM.

Paducah will this summer have something of a novelty in the club line. Efforts are now on foot, with gratifying indications of success, to form what is to be known as the "Picnic Club." Several young ladies have the matter in hand, and some time in the near future, perhaps next week, a call will be made for organization. The present intention is to have the club consist of the young ladies who formerly composed the old "Original Eighteens" and "Metropolitans," two social organizations of the younger sets. The club would have no doubt prove an enjoyable treat for the summer months, and the novelty of it would add to its popularity, no doubt.

Capt. J. R. Smith told an amusing story last night at the school board meeting about the public school building on West Broadway. It is a mere box house, as uncomfortable as it is unsightly.

"Not long since," he said, "some school teachers passed through the city en route to Mardi Gras.

They came on a steamboat, and with commendable accommodation.

"Uncle" George had his cars and men there to show them about the city, at the regular price. Well, they saw the imposing government building, and admired the enterprise of Uncle Sam when informed as to its character.

Further out they remarked on the beauty of the churches, especially the picturesque edifice of the Episcopalian. But when they came to those "chicken coops" out there on Broadway, they asked the motorman what they were. The motorman was a country-fellow, I guess, and he replied, "I believe them's a college, mom." The teachers were convulsed with laughter, and actually got off there to find out for themselves and to call the attention of other excursionists to it.

Capt. Smith said the above was a real incident, and he related it simply to illustrate the necessity of having a new school building.

And right here it is not amiss to state that Capt. Smith has one of the biggest, broadest minds to be found anywhere. Everybody who knows him knows this, and last night he told a little experience about tax-paying.

"When I was a young man," he said, "I had very different ideas of what political economy was to what I have now. When I first came to Paducah I went to a funeral that cost \$1000. I thought that was great extravagance then, but now I know that very little of that money was wasted. On the other hand it found him known, who perhaps would never have gotten it if it had not been expended for that funeral.

But talking about high taxes, sometimes there is a charity in imposing them. Really, the only disadvantage is when the money leaves the city. Internal improvement is as charitable as it is enterprising, and as enterprising as it is charitable. Now I am going to build a house I don't need this year, to give work to those who need it as much as for anything else. If we tax the people for the construction of new buildings and other improvements, the money is paid out to our laborers and artisans, and stays right here and ultimately comes right back into the treasury. It's sometimes a case of taking care of the laborers and others by taxing the people for new improvements, or else of taxing the people to take care of the same people in our hospitals or poor houses."

The good, sound sense of the general captain's argument is very apparent to the thinking mind. After all, the poor people are not taxed to any great extent, those paying the greater taxes being the rich, who are able to bear them.

Judge Sanders, of the police court, is a shrewd prognosticator, and two of his predictions came true yesterday. When Barbara Rankin, the woman sentenced to the penitentiary for three years yesterday for robbery, used to before him at regular intervals, he would warn her repeatedly that it wouldn't be long before her career met with a temporary setback by a term in the penitentiary. The woman paid very little heed to his words, which have now come true. She is the daughter of a wealthy and respected Lyon county colored merchant who has done all he could to stop her in her wayward career. She recently came into about \$1,500, which she squandered in short order.

Judge Sanders' other prediction was in regard to George Winston, who murdered his erstwhile mistress last night. Winston had repeatedly been before him for beating the woman, and one day Judge Sanders said to him, "Some day you are going to kill that woman, and then you'll have to answer to murder instead of beating her."

For the above occasion the Illinois Central will sell round trip tickets to Louisville at one fare, good returning April 23 and 25 at one and one-third fare for the round trip, good to return until and on May 5, 1897. For further information or tickets apply at Paducah Union depot or city ticket office.

A. H. HANSEN, G. P. A., Chicago, Illinois.

W. A. KELLOGG, A. G. P. A., Louisville, Ky.

T. DONOVAN, Paducah, Ky.

Basball, Loui-ville vs. Cleveland
Sunday, April 25.

For the above occasion the Illinois Central will sell round trip tickets to Louisville at one fare, good going only on train 204, April 25, and returning April 26.

Account Grant's Monumental ceremonies the N. C. & St. L. railroad will sell tickets from Paducah to New York and return on April 23, 24 and 25 at one and one-third regular one way first-class rate, good returning until May 5, 1897. For further information or tickets apply at Paducah Union depot or city ticket office.

E. B. TEACHOLT,
20a5 City Ticket Agt. 426 Bd'y.

Opening Ball New Hotel at Rock-
p'r, Ky.

For the above occasion the Illinois Central will sell round trip tickets to Louisville at one fare, good to return until and on May 10th.

Memphis Races.
For train leaving Paducah at 1:52 a.m., April 19th, 27th and May 1st, the Illinois Central will sell round trip excursion tickets to Memphis at one fare, good returning 15 days from date of sale.

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Wilmington, N. C.

From May 3 to 7, inclusive, the Illinois Central will sell tickets to Wilmington, N. C. and return at one fare, good returning 15 days from date of sale.

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One good steel range. Lawrence,
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gave the following version of some important bible history:

"When they saw Stephen they were in such a temper that they knocked him with their teeth, and charged him to be taken out of the city and stoned. Stephen said: 'Ye stiff-necked things, why speak ye so?' The second supernatural event was the striking down dead of Ananias and Sapphira, his wife, for telling lies to Peter. This was supernatural, because it is not natural to have persons struck down dead for telling lies! Ananias and Sapphira were two great prophets. Ananias prayed to God to take him to Heaven and it came to pass that as he was on his horse he was carried up to Heaven."

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DRIFTWOOD

GATHERED ON THE LEVEE

ARRIVALS.

Clyde—Tennessee river.
Joe Fowler—Evansville.
R. A. Speed—Brooklyn.
City of Clarksville—E. town.
George H. Cowling—Metropolis.

DEPARTURES.

Dick Fowler—Cairo.
Ashland City—Danville.
Joe Fowler—Evansville.
Geo. H. Cowling—Metropolis.

NOTES

The Dick Fowler, as well as the rest
of the rest of the packets, was away with a
fine cargo this morning.

The "Kitty" Clyde, as usual,
brought down lower deck full of live
stock for the stock yards here.

The gauge registered this morning
at 7 o'clock 34.8 and falling, there
being a fall of eight tenths in the last
ten hours.

Sailors were at work this morning
scrubbing up the big liner Joe
Fowler, getting her ready for her
spring suit of paint.

Capt. "Alex." on the ferry boat,
says that steamer is going to Cairo
Sunday to display her new spring
suit of white and blue paint.

The little packet Ashland City left
for Danville this morning at 10
o'clock. She connects at that place with
the Edgar Cherry for points higher up the Tennessee.

The towboat R. A. Speed arrived
out of the Cumberland river yesterday
afternoon at 5 o'clock towing four
barges loaded with ties for Brooklyn. She returned after another trip this morning.

Everything in the vicinity of the
wharf had a lively appearance
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there this morning by the arriving and
departing steamers.

Mr. Joe Flach, the handsome chief
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Owen, is doing some artistic painting
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THE FAIR ASSOCIATION.

Re-elects Mr. J. M. Lang President.

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President—Jas. M. Lang.

Vice President—Geo. C. Wallace.

Secretary—Alex Kirkland.

The Board of Directors consists of Dr. S. B. Caldwell, George C. Petter, R. G. Caldwell, Henry Petter, Jas. Clements, Joe M. Ralgsberger, Ed. P. Noble and Jas. M. Lang.

Messrs. Petter, Kirkland and Thompson were appointed a committee to arrange for the Fourth of July races.

A NARROW ESCAPE.

J. Cole, a Carpenter, crushed by a Derrick.

J. Cole, of Tennessee street, a carpenter employed on the Leech building under course of erection on North Fourth street, had a close call from being killed about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

A derrick was being "set" which fell and crushed Cole to the ground. Two ribs on the left side were broken, his legs were badly bruised and he was cut about the face. His injuries are not serious.

In the Spring

The thrifty housewife's thoughts turn not to love as the poet says of the young man, but to the more practical, etc., as packing away winter clothing, house cleaning, etc. She will need

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WEATHER REPORT.

Louisville, April 23.—Unsettled weather, with showers tonight and Saturday.

LOCAL MENTION.

McLya's Case.

The trial of George McLya at Indianapolis, for arson, has not been concluded. It is understood that the case will come to final trial Monday.

Residence at a Bargain.
To be sold at a sacrifice by May 1st, a choice residence. Apply to John Miller.

East Lynne To-night.

"Driven From Home" was presented at a small audience at Morton's opera house last night by the Ford Dramatic Company. Tonight the play will be "East Lynne."

12c buys a nice Fruit Bowl in oval glass at the Robins Glass and Queensware Co.'s Monday, April 26. 1946

Masonic Notice.

Plain City Lodge 449, F. & A. M., will meet tonight at 7:30 o'clock in special communication for work in F. C. degree. All Masons fraternally welcome.

Revival Services.

There will be revival services at the United Brethren church on South Third street tonight and tomorrow night at 7:30. On Sunday night a children's service. A fine program will be given. Everybody invited.

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Instrumental Duet Misses Puryear
Vocal solo Miss Ethel Brooks
Violin and piano Davis-Broadhead
Solo—Bedon Love Song Walter Clark
Instrumental (piano) Gertrude Scott
Trombone and piano Dawson-Davis
Violin solo Miss Alice B. Hayes
Instrumental Chas. Davis

A small admission of ten cents will be charged at the door.

Have you seen our refrigerators? Don't fail to look at them before you buy. A large variety at all prices at Scott Hardware Co. 20a4

Plans Ready.

The sewer plans and specifications, as prepared by Sanitary Engineer Elliott, of Memphis, are now ready for submission to the council.

Wanted to Buy.

Small ice boxes and refrigerators. Lawrence, 213 Court. 1f.

Excursion to Cairo.

Odd Fellows' celebration at Cairo next Monday, April 26. Steamer Dick Fowler has been secured to make the trip. The Paducah brass band will accompany the excursion.

Boat leaves the wharf positively at 7 a. m. in order to reach Cairo on time in order that the Odd Fellows of Paducah may join the parade; \$1 round trip. Get tickets on board or from W. F. Lambdin, Agent, 100 Broadway.

105 screen doors, and all have to be sold at Scott Hardware Co. this and next month. 20a4

The Steamer Cowling leaves for Metropolis Sunday, April 25, 1897, at 9:30 a. m., 2 p. m. and 5 p. m. Round trip 25c. 22a2

Last season times were hard and very few gasolene stoves were sold. Not so now, for prices are reduced so low you can't help buying. Quick meals at Scott Hardware Co. 20a4

SAD DEATH.

Of Miss Minnie Rust Last Night.

Miss Minnie Rust, the 16-year-old daughter of Mr. G. W. Rust, of near Melber, died last night of pneumonia and measles.

The funeral will take place at 10 o'clock tomorrow at Owen Chapel.

Miss Carrie Lee Carter.

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PERSONALS.

H. J. Huber, of Indianapolis, is at the Palmer.

Mr. C. C. Nott, of Louisville, is at the Palmer.

Mr. W. C. Ellis left at noon for New Springs.

Mr. W. B. Tally returned to the city last night.

Mr. W. B. Pace returned last night from Memphis.

A. M. Glendering, a Boston shoe man, is at the Palmer.

Mr. J. King Greif is quite sick with malarial fever.

Mrs. John Weeks, of the West End, is convalescent.

M. L. Whitesides, of Memphis, is at the New Richmond.

J. A. C. Emerson, of Boston, is at the New Richmond.

There are eighty-eight members of the "Yellow Kids."

Mr. Sam Jackson left at noon for Mayfield and Fulton.

Hon. Wm. Reed, of Benton, came in last night from Murray.

Thomas A. James, of Hinkleville, is at the New Richmond.

Conductor W. H. Heaton and wife went down the road at noon.

H. H. McLane, of Mayfield, is at the Chicago gents' furnisher, at the Palmer.

Mr. Clarence L. Dean, of the Barber & Bailey circus, is in the city.

Mrs. Thomas E. Moss returned to the day from Louisville and Cincinnati.

Clarence Simpson, the Mayfield bicyclist, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. R. J. Wilson, of Mechanicsburg, has returned from Savannah, Tenn.

Mr. W. S. Gist, the Evansville drug drummer, left for Evansville to-day.

George Dawson, colored, charged with assault and battery, and Wm. Ballantine, charged with stealing geese, will be tried before County Judge Tully after circuit court adjourns.

John Anderson and Robt. Brandon, the tramps charged with breaking into the market house, will be tried tomorrow.

Bob Barber and Barbara Rankin, colored, charged with stealing about \$200 from Jos. Smith, a merchant of the Clark's river section, were yesterday sentenced to three years each.

Branch Miller, colored, charged with selling a watch belonging to Mr. Fred Nagel, was given eighteen months.

Miss Jennie Jarrett, of Fulton, passed through the city today en route home from Benton.

Capt. Caldwell calls a full meeting of the "Yellow Kids" tonight. See another column for full list of sides.

Mrs. Susannah D. Sauer left yesterday for Meridian, Miss., to attend the unveiling of the Confederate monument at that place on the 26th inst.

Judge James Campbell went up to Smithland this forenoon to participate in the case of G. W. Vaughn against Aretas Blood for \$2,500, alleged to be due on a house building contract.

The marriage of Mr. A. D. Tucker and Mrs. Mollie Tolbert, as announced in the Sun yesterday, took place at 8 o'clock last night at the residence of the bride on West Broadway.

Mr. Herman West, of Mayfield, passed through the city yesterday en route to Metropolis.

Mrs. L. Huber and children, of Louisville, are guests of Mrs. Henry Nagel, on North Fourth.

Dr. Richard Walker, of Oehlschaefer & Walker, returned this morning from Dyerburg.

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Barnum & Bailey, whose Greatest Show on Earth is now filling the big Madison Square Garden, in New York City, twice a day to its full capacity, and furnishing material for kinescope illustrations of whirling acrobats, flying horses and football playing dogs to the New York Sunday papers, will try an innovation in the usual circus practice by coming South this spring. The New York season will close next Saturday, after which the show will go to Brooklyn for a week. It will then go directly to Baltimore, then to Washington, Richmond, and on South. Atlanta will be visited May 17; Macon, May 18; Columbus, May 19; Montgomery, May 20; Selma, May 21; Birmingham, May 22; and Memphis, May 24.

The show will visit Paducah May 25, Hopkinsville May 26, and then Nashville, Clarksville and Louisville, and will go on north from there.

Frank Harlan and a colored boy were in the wagon at the time, and the horse became frightened and ran away, colliding with the car.

Neither of the occupants was injured by the accident, although their contact with the street was not as pleasant as might have been wished.

FURNITURE

Given Away at the Opera House Tomorrow Night.

Numbers will be given to the drawing for a fine set of furniture at the opera house tomorrow night to all those who attend the performance of "East Lynne" at the opera house tonight.

All we ask is for you to examine our Wonder Freezer and Siberia Refrigerator and we can prove they are the best.

21a3 HANK BROS. & JONES.

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A DOZEN

Convictions at this Term of Court.

PRISONERS SENTENCED TODAY.

Circuit Court Will Adjourn Tomorrow Afternoon.

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